## LISTING OF THE CLAIMS

1. (Currently Amended) A computer implemented method of handling a data service request from a client device, the method comprising:

receiving by a server, a data service request from the client device;

determining by the server, a <u>first and a second</u> service response to <u>a first</u>

and a second portion of said data service request and a <u>first and a second</u> vendor

correspondingly providing said <del>data</del> first and said second service response, said first and

second portions being different portions of said data service request

communicating said <u>first and second portions of said</u> data service request from the server to said <u>first and second vendors</u>, <u>respectively</u>, in accordance with an application programming interface (API) prescribed by the server;

processing by the server, a <u>first and a second service response supplied by</u>
<u>the first and second vendors supplied response respectively,</u> to create a solution set for said data service request; and

communicating said solution set from the server to the client device.

- 2. (Original) The method of Claim 1, wherein said solution set comprises a dynamically generated request for additional information.
- 3. (Currently Amended) The method of Claim 1, wherein <u>at least one of said</u> processing <u>of said first or second vendor supplied response comprises applying a predetermined solution template.</u>
- 4. (Original) The method of Claim 3, wherein said predetermined solution template is an XSLT.
- 5. (Original) The method of Claim 1, wherein said service request comprises a plurality of concepts.

- 6. (Currently Amended) The method of Claim 1, wherein said service request comprises a selected command embedded inselected from a solution set previously provided to the client device.
- 7. (Currently Amended) The method of Claim 6, wherein said command is <u>a selected</u> one from the group consisting of: submit concepts, accept, reserve, purchase, cancel, do, get info request, get info, get status, get concepts, check health, and acknowledge response.
- 8. (Currently Amended) The method of Claim 1, wherein <u>either</u> said <u>first or second</u> vendor supplied response is of a predetermined response type.
- 9. (Currently Amended) The method of Claim 8, wherein said predetermined response type is <u>a selected one</u> from the group consisting of: search, accept, reserve, purchase, cancel, status, info request, info, concepts, message, health, and acknowledge reply.
- 10. (Currently Amended) The method of Claim 1, wherein <u>either</u> said <u>first or second</u> vendor supplied response comprises at least one of a result, transaction data, message, dynamic concepts, info request, and auxiliary message.
- 11. (Original) The method of Claim 1, wherein said solution set comprises a plurality of elements selected from html files, custom menus, custom buttons, calendar information, favorites information and text information.
- 12. (Original) The method of Claim 11, further comprising updating a local application data structure with at least one of said elements.
- 13. (Currently Amended) The method of Claim 1, further comprising: receiving by said server, a data service command from the client device;

determining by the server, a <u>first and a second</u> service response to <u>a first and a second portion of said data service command and a <u>first and a second vendor to</u>
respondsive to said <u>first and said second portion of the data service command, said first and second portions being different portions of the said data service command;</u></u>

communicating said <u>first and second portions of said</u> data service command from the server to said <u>first and a second vendors</u>, <u>respectively</u>, in accordance with an application programming interface (API) prescribed by the server;

processing by the server, a <u>first and a second</u> vendor supplied response to create a solution set for said data service command; and

communicating said solution set from the server to the client device.

- 14. (Original) A computer readable medium containing computer executable instructions for performing the actions of the method of any of Claims 1-13.
- 15. (Original) A computer system having a processor and a memory coupled to the processor containing computer executable instructions operative to perform the actions of the method of any of Claims 1-13.